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Heap leaching of copper ores with sulphuric acid - using alternate layers of

ore and solid sodium chloride

**8** Original Title:

SU0753922T: METHOD OF COPPER ORE PILE LEACHING

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**P**Derwent Abstract:

(SU0753922B) In heap leaching of Cu ores using NaCl and H2S04, extn. of Cu and ore decrepitation are increased and leaching time is reduced by using alternate layers of ore and NaCl. The latter is used in solid form at the rate of 2.16- 3.46 tons per ton of Cu, the distance between the layers over the height of the heap being 0.3-1m. Sulphuric acid is used at a concn. of 10-12 g/litre, fed to the top of the heap.

The H2S04 reacts exothermically with the NaCl, producing HCl and heating the ore lumps locally, breaking them up. Example:80 kg of ore contg. 0.37% Cu is arranged in alternate layers with NaCl; the distance between the NaCl layers is 0.7m, and the heap is sprayed at the rate of 50 litres/ton of ore with H2S04 (12 g/litre). Copper extraction is 80.1-83% at an NaCl consumption of 2.16-3.24 tons/ton Cu and an H2S04 consumption of 3-3.4 tons/ton Cu in a leaching time of 300 days(2 summer seasons under industrial conditions).Bul.29/7.8.80.

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